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CIA Link Repeated

VANCOUVER (CP) — A link between Lee Harvey Oswald, accused assassin of President Kennedy, and Clay Shaw, David Ferrie and against Castro. This was a CIA Agency is claimed by an American law in Vancouver.

Leonard P. Norton, 35, said in an interview Saturday he organized all three while he was on the payroll of the CIA.

Norton first came to see The Sun July 3," says the newspaper. "Since then many details of Norton's story have been confirmed. But the authenticity of his central claims defy verification by normal newspaper investigation."

MUSICIAN

Lee Harvey Oswald was named by the Warren Commission as the lone assassin of President Kennedy in November, 1963. Clay Shaw, a New Orleans businessman, has been indicted by a grand jury on charges of conspiring to kill the president following an investigation by district attorney Jim Garrison of New Orleans.

David Ferrie, also died in February of this year, was a central figure in Garrison's investigation. Mr. Garrison claims the assassination resulted from a complex conspiracy involving para-military groups based with the CIA and dissident Cuban exiles.

Norton, a musician and a native of Columbus, Ga., told The Sun that Ferrie, a pilot, was his contact man in 1958 on a CIA assignment to carry about $50,000 into Havana, Cuba.

MET SHAW

He said the money was to be used to support the revolutionary activities of Fidel Castro. He knew Ferrie as Hugh Pharris.

"This man, known to me as Hugh Pharris delivered to me the case which contained the money I was to take to the CIA contact in Havana," Norton said.

Norton said he met Shaw in Alabama in August, 1962, before a CIA assignment to Monterrey, Mexico.

OSWALD

He said Shaw was with a man who gave him an attache case containing about $9,000 to be delivered to a "Harvey Lee" in Monterrey in exchange for another case containing documents.

"During the proximity of the conversation which the man known as Lee Oswald were involved in the pickle, I almost immediately recognized him as being the same slightly [illegible] the money.

Monterrey to Calgary. Alta. Norton said he spent seven months criss-crossing the country. He was then contacted and Canada and finally arrived [illegible] documents in Vancouver July 5.